# **PROGRAM OVERVIEW**

### WHO SHOULD ATTEND

This program is recommended for physicians with experience and/or interest in treating opioid dependence. This program is also recommended for primary care, psychiatric, HIV and addiction medicine physicians.

### CONTINUING MEDICAL EDUCATION CREDIT

The American Society of Addiction Medicine is accredited by the Accreditation Council for Continuing Medical Education to provide continuing medical education for physicians.

The American Society of Addiction Medicine (ASAM) designates this continuing medical education activity for up to 8 hours in Category 1 credit towards the AMA Physician's Recognition Award. Each physician should claim only those hours of credit that he/she actually spent in the educational activity.

Supported by an unrestricted continuing medical education grant provided by Reckitt Benckiser.

# **PROGRAM GOALS & OBJECTIVES**

After participating in this course, participants should be better able to describe:

- The prerequisites for a physician to begin to prescribe buprenorphine in office-based practice
- The clinically relevant pharmacological characteristics of buprenorphine
- Factors to consider in determining if a patient is an appropriate candidate for office-based treatment
- Induction and maintenance protocols
- Strategies for integrating psychosocial care with office-based pharmacological treatment
- Treatment strategies for management of chronic and acute pain in patients in maintenance treatment for opioid dependence

The Drug Addiction Treatment Act of 2000 (PL106-310, Section 3502) permits physicians who are trained or experienced in opioid addiction treatment to obtain waivers to prescribe certain narcotic drugs in Schedule III, IV, or V of the Controlled Substances Act, in their office practices or in a clinic setting, for the treatment of opioid dependence. Both buprenorphine and the combination of buprenorphine with naloxone are approved by FDA for use in detoxification and maintenance treatment of opioid dependence.

Physicians are qualified if they are certified in Addiction Medicine or Addiction Psychiatry. As part of the requirements to obtain the waiver, physicians not otherwise qualified must complete not less than 8 hours of training. Physicians who complete this 8-hour course will meet the training qualification under the new law and will receive a certificate of attendance suitable to send to the Secretary of HHS along with the request for the waiver. If you give ASAM permission to do so, ASAM will report your name directly to the Secretary of HHS within 4 weeks of the program, if you have attended the full 8 hours, eliminating the need for you to send the certificate of attendance.

Because ASAM will be called upon to confirm that participants have attended a full 8 hours, you must bring a photo identification to show as part of the sign-in process; you must confirm your attendance with your signature at the beginning of both the morning and the afternoon sessions; and you must sign out at the conclusion of the program.

Certificates of attendance will be mailed to you within 4 weeks of the program. Note that latecomers will not be eligible for a certificate of attendance if ASAM cannot confirm 8 hours of attendance.



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# OFFICE-BASED TREATMENT OF OPIOID DEPENDENCE



### **BEAU RIVAGE**

875 Beach Boulevard Biloxi, Mississippi

Physicians who complete this course will be eligible to request a waiver to practice medication-assisted addiction therapy with Buprenorphine, for the treatment of opioid dependence.

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# **TOPICS TO BE DISCUSSED**

Overview of Opioid Dependence

Rationale for Opioid Agonist Treatment

Legislative Changes Allowing Office-Based Treatment of Opioid Dependence, Including the Drug Addiction Treatment Act of 2000

General Opioid Pharmacology

Pharmacology of Buprenorphine and Buprenorphine/Naloxone

Efficacy and Safety of Buprenorphine/Naloxone

Clinical Use of Buprenorphine and Buprenorphine/Naloxone, Including Induction, Maintenance, and Pharmacologic Withdrawal

Patient Assessment and Selection

Office Procedures and Logistics

Psychiatric Co-Morbidity in Opioid Dependent Patients

Medical Co-Morbidity in Opioid Dependent Patients

The Role of Psychosocial Counseling in the Treatment of Opioid Dependence

Special Treatment Populations, Including the Management of Patients who Develop Pain while Receiving Buprenorphine/ Naloxone, Pregnancy and Adolescents

7:00 AM - 8:00 AM Registration and Mandatory

Sign-In, Breakfast

8:00 AM - 5:30 PM Program, Including Lunch

5:30 PM Mandatory Sign-Out

# **DIRECTIONS**

### FROM GULFPORT / BILOXI AIRPORT TO BEAU RIVAGE:

When leaving the airport property, turn left onto Airport Boulevard. Proceed to traffic signal and turn right. (highway 49) Travel approximately 3/4 mile to Interstate and go East on I-10. Take Exit 46-A (I-110 Loop). Stay on I-110 Loop to the Ocean Springs exit ramp. Ocean Springs Exit will put you on Highway 90 East. Beau Rivage is the first hotel-casino on the right on Highway 90. Approximate travel time from the Airport is 15 - 20 minutes.

### FROM GULFPORT/BILOXI AIRPORT TO BEAU RIVAGE:

Traveling Highway 90 When leaving the Airport property, turn left on Airport Boulevard. Proceed to traffic signal and turn left. (Highway 49). Stay on Highway 49 until it intersects with Highway 90. Travel East on Highway 90 into Biloxi, passing the Biloxi Lighthouse. Approximately 1/4 mile past the Lighthouse, Beau Rivage is located on the right. Approximate travel time from the Airport is 25 - 30 minutes



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